

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

August 9, 2014



Eiler Fire

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National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



SITUATION SUMMARY

Governor Brown Declares State of Emergency for Northern California Wildfires

On 08/02/14, Governor Brown issued an emergency proclamation for the state of California due to the effects of wildfires in El Dorado, Amador, Butte, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta, and Siskiyou counties that have burned thousands of acres, destroyed homes and other structures and damaged critical infrastructure.

Cal OES Activations Due to Wildfires

- Cal OES Fire EOC is activated in support of statewide fires.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1

State Agency Activations Due to Wildfires

- On 08/03/14 at 1200 hours, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) activated the Medical Health Coordination Center (MHCC) at Duty Officer status.

Cal OES / CNG Mission Tasking for Additional Firefighting Capabilities

2014-FIRE-4427

Cal OES has Mission Tasked the California National Guard for additional Firefighting capabilities; current status:

- 12 Type-1 Helicopters with water dropping and crew transport capability
- 4 Type-3 Helicopters with water dropping and crew transport capability
- 1 Type-1 Medivac Helicopter with hoist capability
- 0 C-130 Aircraft with Modular Airborne Fire Fighting Systems (MAFFS)

2014-FIRE-4466

- 240 Personnel to be trained for Fireline Hand Crew assignments grouped into 10 – 20 person Hand Crews
- 4 personnel to support each Hand Crew.

Cal OES Law Branch

The Cal OES Law Branch has deployed one (1) Assistant Law Chief to the fires in Region 3.

SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County (Update)

Day Road, 2 miles north of Day

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0552 hours:

SRA

- 13,153 acres, 92% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 6 Single Residence and 4 other minor structure
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5070-FM-CA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Eiler, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

12 miles southeast of Burney in the Hat Creek area

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0555 hours:

SRA and FRA

- 32,048 acres timber, 45% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 7 Single Residences, 2 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 12 Other Minor Structures
- Also destroyed, three (3) vehicles and one (1) historic post office.
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5067-FM-CA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Bald Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

8 miles Southeast of Fall River Mills

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0600 hours:

Unified Command FRA with SRA

- 39,926 acres, 95% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5069-FM-CA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

Community of Copco, south of the Oregon Border

Unified Command – State of Oregon and SRA

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer, InciWeb and ICS-209 as of 08/08/14 at 2201 hours:

- 35,248 acres, 58% contained (9,464 acres in State DPA)
- Unified Command with Oregon Department of Forestry ended on 08/08/14 at 1800 hours.
- Fire is part of the Beaver Complex, east of Ashland Oregon
- Threat to 92 structures in the community of Copco
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5068-FM-CA.
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief Assigned
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Little Deer, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

Hwy 97 2 miles north of Tenet Bray Turnoff

Per CAL FIRE and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0525 hours:

FRA

- 5,503 acres, 91% contained
- Type 1 IC assigned
- Destroyed Structures: 1 Other Minor Structure
- Hwy 97 is now open to traffic both ways
- Continued threat to commercial timber and railroad assets
- CAL FIRE assumed command of the incident at 1800 hours on 08/03/14.
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

Coffee Complex, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

Coffee Creek Drainage, Trinity Alps Wilderness

Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0603 hours:

FRA

- 6,098 acres timber, 45% contained
- Threatened Structures: 217 Single Residences
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- 18 Local Government Engines assigned
- CAL FIRE air resources committed

SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

KNF Beaver Incident, Siskiyou County (Update)

Klamath River, Beaver Creek

Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0537 hours:

FRA

- 19,581 acres, 20% contained
- Type 2 IMT has been assigned
- Threatened Structures: 75 Single Residences, 20 Nonresidential Commercial Properties
- At approximately 2100 on 8/1/14, evacuation advisory notices were issued to the residents of Beaver Creek and there were approximately 51 people affected.
- Evacuation advisories went out to approximately 50 homes on Highway 96 in Klamath area, including the community of Klamath.
- On 8/5/14 the evacuation advisory along Highway 96 expanded to include the area between Lumgreys Creek and Doggett Creek. This affects approximately 20 homes.
- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, all mandatory evacuation orders have been lifted.
- American Red Cross shelter at Jackson Street School, 405 Jackson St., Yreka, Small animals and livestock can be accommodated. Overnight Shelter Population – 0. This shelter supports multiple fires.
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

July Complex, Siskiyou County (Update)

Four (4) miles southeast of Sawyers Bar

Per Cal Fire ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0526 hours:

FRA

- 8,359 acres, 4% contained
- Threatened Structures: 26 Single Residences, 18 Other Minor Structures
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- 6 Local Government Engines assigned.
- July Complex evacuation order for Music Creek, South Russian Creek, and Rainbow Mine areas went into effect at 1900 hours on 08/05/14. The order was issued by the Siskiyou County Sheriff's Office and was issued to all the residents east of Sawyers Bar Road on the 40N54 Road.
- A shelter has been established at Scott Valley Junior High, 237 Butte St., Fort Jones. This shelter is not currently open. A sign with Red Cross contact information is posted for residents to call if they need shelter. If opened, this shelter supports multiple fires.
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Log, Siskiyou County (Update)

Six (4) miles west of Greenvew

Per Cal Fire and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0521 hours:

FRA

- 2,521 acres, 18% contained
- 17 Local Government Engines assigned
- Threatened Structures: 152 Single Residences, 22 Multiple Residences, 14 Mixed Commercial/Residential, 7 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 106 Other Minor Structures
- A hard closure of Shackleford Creek Road is in effect at the T-intersection with Quartz Valley Road
- The Quartz Valley area (communities of Quartz Valley and the Quartz Valley Indian Reservation) have been given an evacuation advisory. The number of affected residents is approximately 500 homes.
- An Evacuation Advisory has been issued at Highway 3 from Lighthill Road to South Kidder Creek Road, to include the areas of Scott Valley, Greenvew, Mugginsville, Orofino and the North Kidder Creek area affecting approximately 460 residents.
- All mandatory evacuation orders have been lifted.
- A shelter has been established at Scott Valley Junior High, 237 Butte St., Fort Jones. This shelter is not currently open. A sign with Red Cross contact information is posted for residents to call if they need shelter. If opened, this shelter supports multiple fires.
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

Lodge Complex, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County (Update)

BLM Elkhorn Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0641 hours:

SRA

- 7,100 acres, 30% contained
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- Structure Threat: 58 Single Residences
- On 08/08/14, a burnover occurred with a Type III Engine Company and a Type I Handcrew, resulting in 8 burn injuries.
- Mandatory evacuations have been issued for the following areas: Elder Place, Tan Oak Park, Bald Mountain Creek, Elk Creek east of Brush Mountain, and Camp Seabow. The Mendocino County Sheriff conducted a reverse 911 to 147 homes.
- A shelter is open at Leggett Valley School, 1 School Way, Leggett, CA 95585-0186. Current Shelter Population -2.
- See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.



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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

French Incident, Vegetation Fire, Madera County (Update)

Rock Creek Campground – Madera County

Per Cal FIRE and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0603 hours:

FRA

- 13,835 acres, 95% contained
- Structure protection in the Houge Ranch and Kinsman Flat area will continue to be the primary objective
- Type 2 IMT assigned; transition to a Type 3 organization will occur at 0600 hours tomorrow, 06/10/14.
- Madera County EOC is at Level 1.
- One (1) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief is assigned to the incident
- Heavy demobilization of resources will occur today, 08/09/14.
- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, homes in the Arnold Meadows area have been opened for residents only.
- Mandatory evacuations of campsites remain in place. The campsites are on USFS property.

San Bernardino County Flooding, San Bernardino County (Update)

Update:

- San Bernardino County Operational Area is activated at Level I Duty Officer status, as there is a possibility of rain later today, Saturday 08/09/2014, and into Sunday 08/10/2014, which could affect areas already impacted by the August Severe Weather Incident.

On 08/03/14, the Southern Duty Officer (SDO) was notified by the California State Warning Center (CSWC) that San Bernardino County Operational Area (SBOA) emergency operations center (EOC) had activated at a Level I in support of the significant flood events for the following areas in San Bernardino County; Forest Falls, Mount Baldy, Oak Glen and Lytle Creek. Flash floods Sunday brought thick debris flows that cut off access to towns. Numerous residents in the San Bernardino Mountains were unable to get out because the roads were covered with mud, rock and debris. Per the SDO there are no unmet emergency management and access and functional needs (AFN) nor any requests for State assistance.

[See Southern California Significant Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

SITUATION SUMMARY

Post Tropical Cyclone Iselle and Hurricane Julio, Hawaii, Pacific Ocean (Update)

Post-Tropical Cyclone Iselle

The Central Pacific Hurricane Center reports Tropical Storm ISELLE has dissipated to a Post-Tropical Cyclone. Post-Tropical Cyclone ISELLE is approximately 200 (+75) miles southwest of Honolulu, HI (pop. 983,429) moving west at 14 (-1) mph. Maximum sustained winds are 35 (-15) mph. There are no fatalities or injuries reported. American Red Cross (ARC) reports 36 (+6) shelters open with 2,041 (no change) occupants; however, ARC anticipates closing all but 5 shelters on 9 Aug as residents return home. The USCG reports the Kaunakakai, Molokai port remains closed; all other ports are open. TSA reports all airports are open and operational. Approximately 17,000 (-8,000) customers are without power across the state. There are minimal communication impacts. All Watches and Warnings have been discontinued.

Hurricane Julio

The Central Pacific Hurricane Center reports Hurricane JULIO has weakened to a Category 2 hurricane as it moves west-northwest. This motion is expected to continue with gradual weakening over the next 48 hours; on this forecast track JULIO will pass 200 miles northeast of the Big Island on 10 August. The Governor of Hawaii signed a preparatory Emergency Proclamation on 6 August.

FEMA Stance

The FEMA National Watch Center is at Enhanced Watch (24/7); the FEMA National Response Coordination Center has deactivated. FEMA Region IX Regional Response Coordination Center has deactivated and transitioned to a Regional Enhanced Watch. The FEMA Region IX Incident Management Assistance Team will partially demobilize. The Hawaii Emergency Operations Center has returned to normal operations. Local damage assessments continue with no significant property damage reported. There are no requests for FEMA assistance.

EMAC Deployment

2014-SOC-4699 Deployment of A Team Type I Staff

- Two (2) OES staff and one (1) CNG departed 8/8/2014, for a 14 day deployment; expected return, 8/22/2014

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Drought Proclamations

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

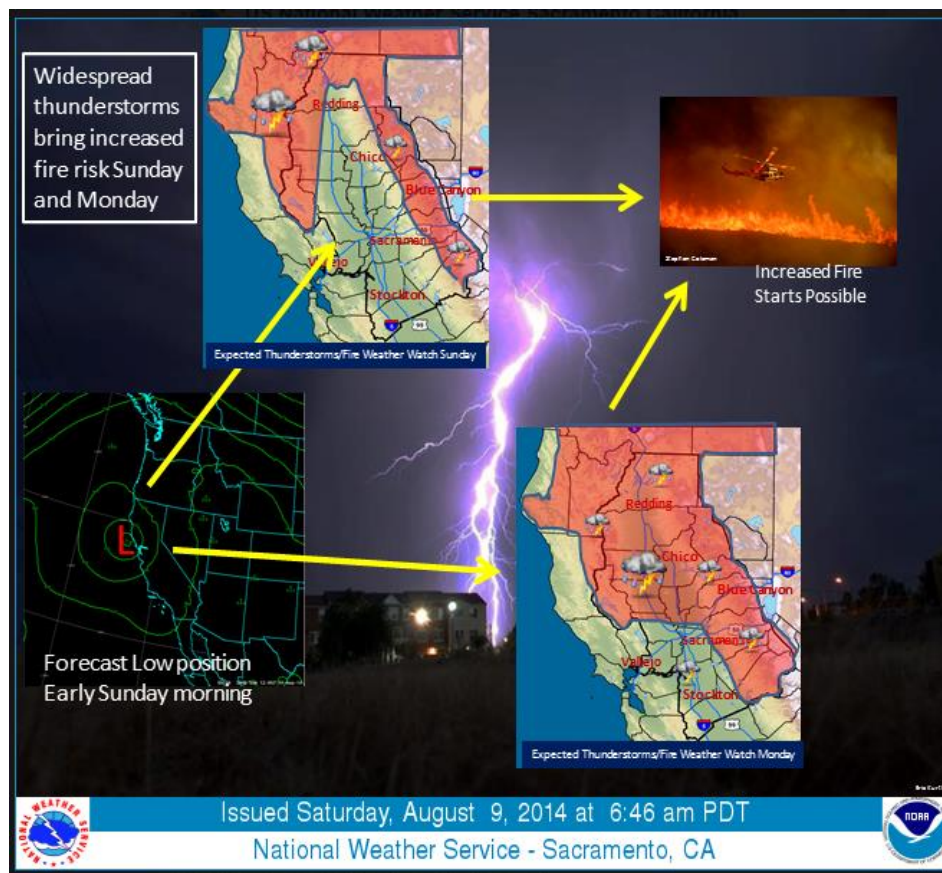
Significant Weather

Red Flag Warning:

- Red Flag Warning in effect for portions of Siskiyou and Modoc Counties 1000 hours on Sunday through 2300 hours Tuesday.

Fire Weather Watch:

- Fire Weather Watch in effect for portions of Del Norte, Humboldt, Mendocino and Trinity Counties: Sunday afternoon through Monday evening.
- Fire Weather Watch in effect for portions of Shasta, Alpine, Calaveras, Tuolumne, Butte, Tehama, Plumas, Lassen, Amador, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sierra, Yuba, Lake, Colusa, Glenn, Sutter, Counties, late Sunday afternoon through Monday evening.
- Fire Weather Watch in effect for portions of Del Norte, Siskiyou, Humboldt, Shasta, Trinity, Tehama and Modoc Counties late Sunday morning through late Sunday evening.



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WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

Isolated thunderstorms will develop over the interior mountains this afternoon. Coastal locations can expect morning low clouds followed by partial clearing each afternoon. Low pressure will develop off the north central California coast through the weekend with increasing chances for thunderstorms on Sunday and Monday.

San Francisco Weather:

An approaching mid/upper level low pressure system is forecast to stall off the California coast this weekend and result seasonable weather conditions and near normal temperatures. A slight warming trend is then forecast for the latter half of next week.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Thunderstorms are possible over the mountains the next several afternoons, with potentially more widespread thunderstorms Sunday into Monday. Temperatures to remain near normal through next week.

Hanford Weather:

Temperatures will remain a little above normal today then lower slightly into early next week. A few afternoon and early evening showers and thunderstorms are possible over the southern Sierra today through Monday.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION: (Cont.)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Southwest flow aloft will keep onshore flow in place through much of next weekend with continued night through morning low clouds and fog at the beaches and some inland areas. Temperatures near seasonal normals will be prevalent as a broad upper level trough lingers over the region.

Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

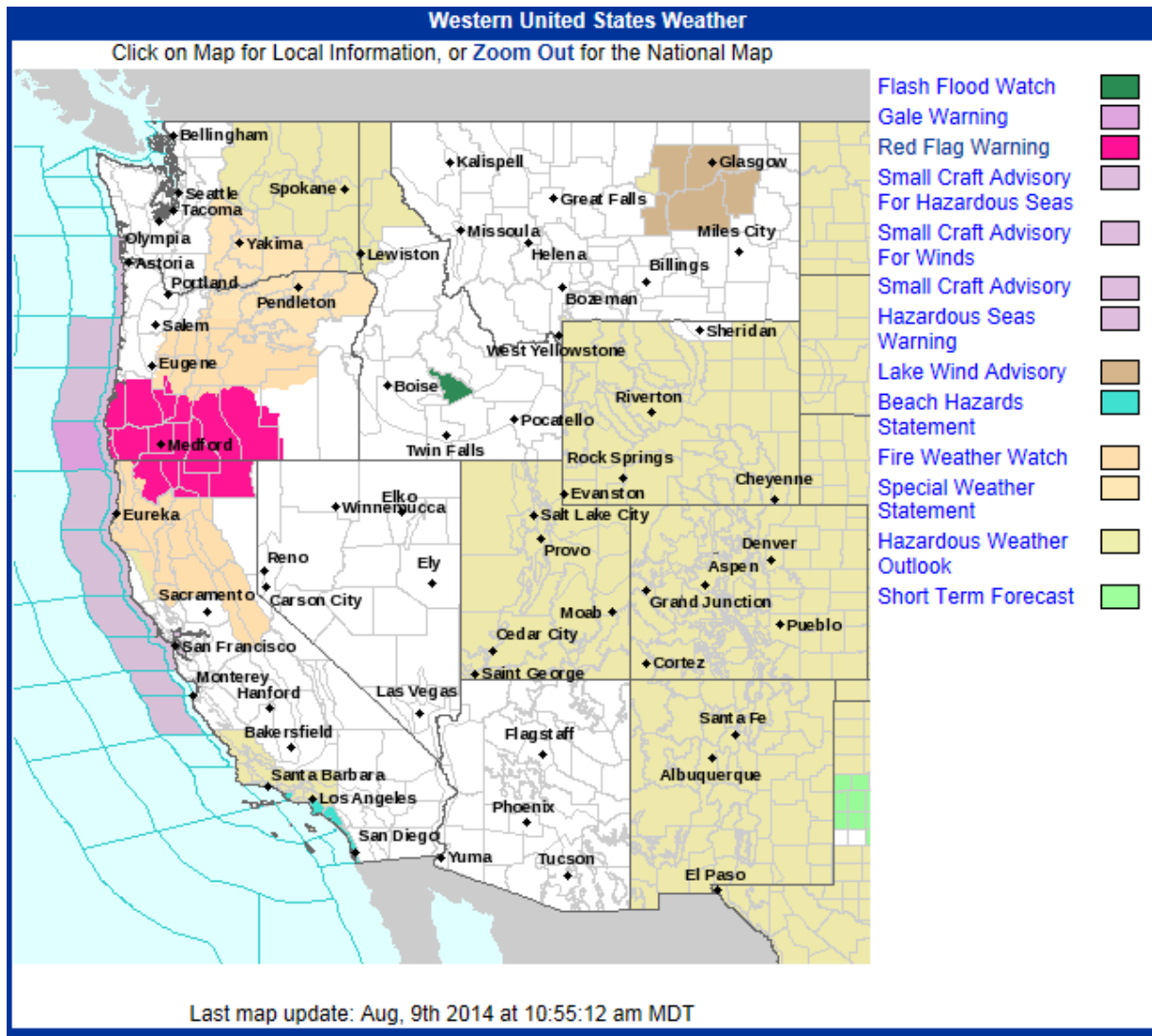
Dry southwest flow aloft will continue through the weekend. Monsoonal moisture will bring a slight chance of afternoon and early evening thunderstorms for the mountains and deserts Monday and Tuesday. Drier southwest flow aloft will return for the rest of next week. Temperatures will remain near seasonal levels. Weak onshore flow and the marine layer will bring areas of night and morning low clouds and patchy fog extending from the coast to the lower inland valleys.

Southeast California Weather:

A gradual increase in storm chances is expected this weekend as atmospheric conditions slowly become more favorable. However, widespread storm activity is not expected on the lower deserts. The trend in storm chances remains relatively flat for next week.



STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 4

Northern California

Preparedness Level **5**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **3**

Southern California

Preparedness Level **3**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **2**

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

FIRE ACTIVITY



Lodge Complex, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County (Update)

BLM Elkhorn Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0641 hours:

SRA

- 5,800 acres, 30% contained
- On 08/08/14, a burnover occurred with a Type III Engine Company and a Type I Handcrew, resulting in 8 burn injuries.
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- Structure Threat: 58 Single Residences
- Fire spread continues to be a threat to numerous high profile areas including the conservancy owned and operated by UC Berkeley, which includes USGS Hydrologic Bench Mark Stream for monitoring purposes. UC Berkeley is utilizing a \$5 million grant for continued studies in this area.
- BLM has numerous threatened and endangered species in this area.
- 5 OES and 122 Local Government Engines assigned.
- Total Personnel – 1,950

Evacuations/Shelters

- Mandatory evacuations have been issued for the following areas: Elder Place, Tan Oak Park, Bald Mountain Creek, Elk Creek east of Brush Mountain, and Camp Seabow. The Mendocino County Sheriff conducted a reverse 911 to 147 homes.
- A shelter is open at Leggett Valley School, 1 School Way, Leggett, CA 95585-0186. Current Shelter Population – 2.

Health/Medical

- An Air Quality Advisory has been issued for the Laytonville/Leggett area as the air is considered un-healthy

Deployments:

- Three (3) Cal OES PSC Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.
- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned.

Activations

- Mendocino County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Coastal Region EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Proclamations

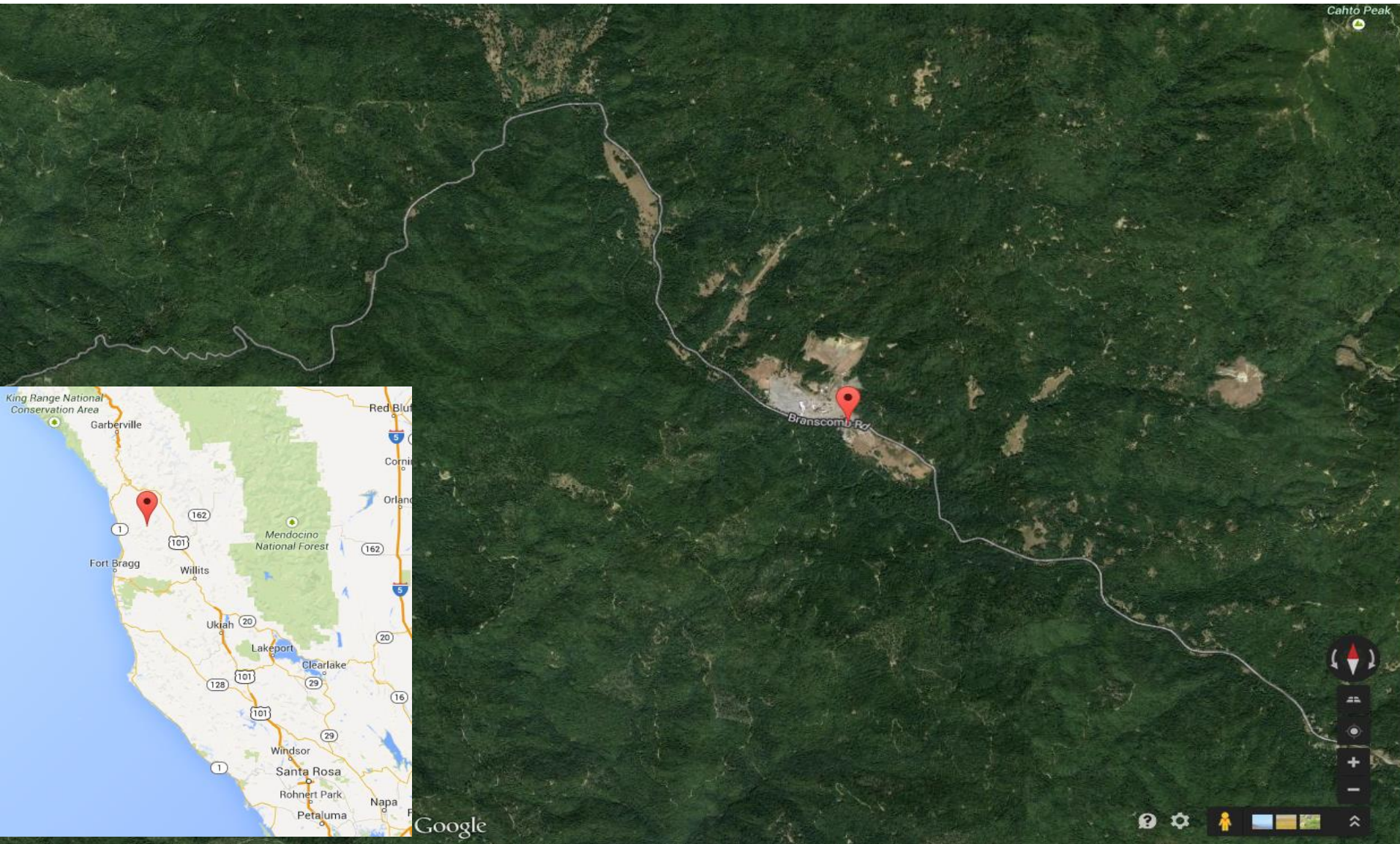
- On 08/02/14, Governor Brown issued an emergency proclamation for the state of California due to the effects of wildfires in El Dorado, Amador, Butte, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta and Siskiyou counties that have burned thousands of acres, destroyed homes and other structures and damaged critical infrastructure.

Mission Tasking

- 2014-CREOC-4605, Mendocino has requested a portable EBAM air monitoring unit from ARB to be set up at Laytonville Fire Department to measure air quality and particle matter from the Lodge fire.



Lodge Incident, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County



BLM Hermitage Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County (Update)

Day Road, 2 miles north of Day

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0552 hours:

SRA

Fire Information

- 13,153 acres, 92% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 6 Single Residence and 4 other minor structure
- Operational Period activities will include, continued mop-up, suppression repair and support of initial attack activity in close proximity to the Day incident. Demobilization of surplus resources continues.
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5070-FM-CA.
- Total Personnel – 321

Emergency Management

Evacuations/Shelters:

- None

Road Closures

- None

Health/Medical

- An Air Quality Statement was requested by City of Alturas. The request is being handled through Dr. Richert, Modoc County Health Officer.

Activations

- The Modoc County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

FIRE ACTIVITY



Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County Cont. (Update)

Deployments

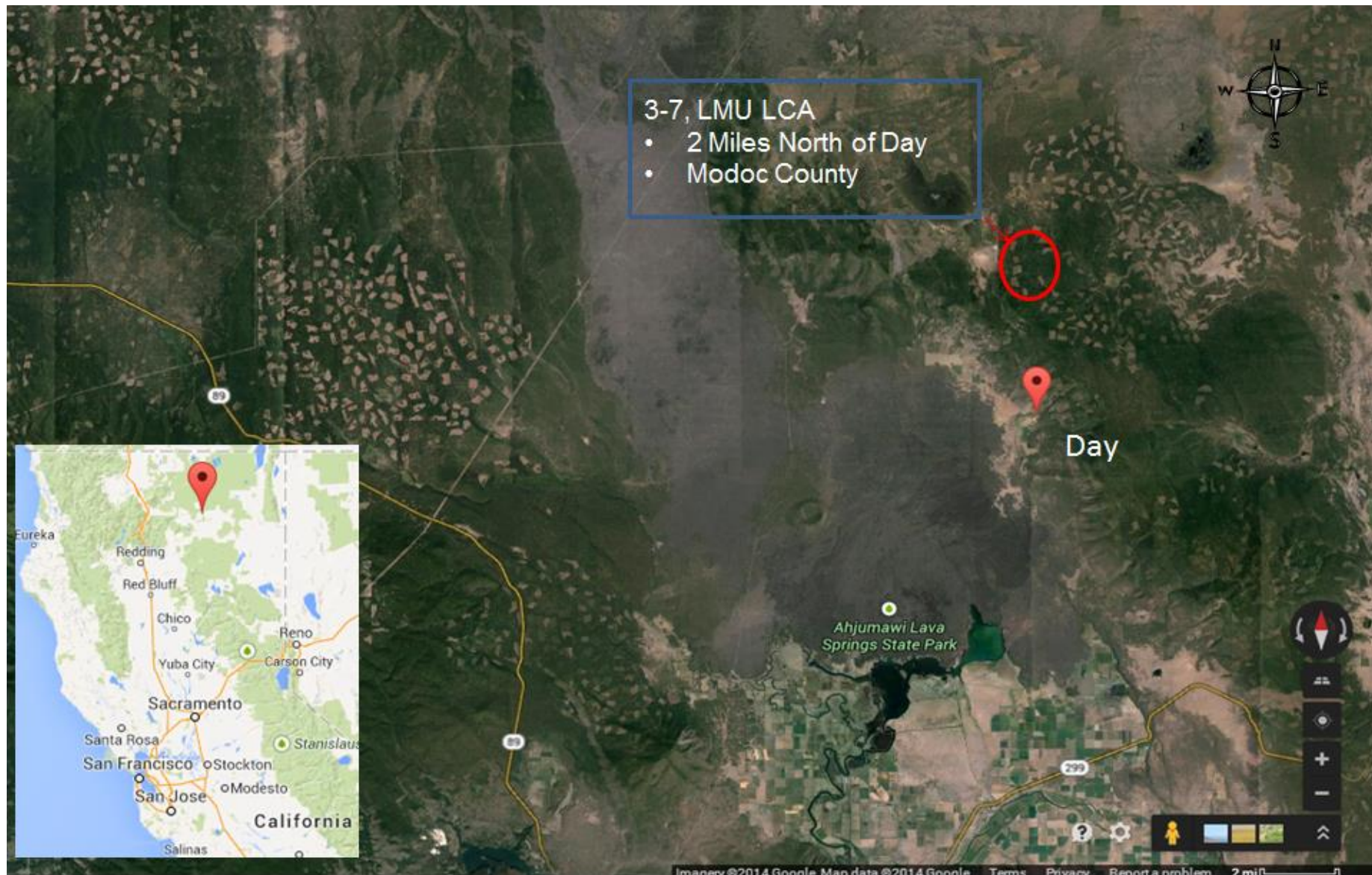
- None

Proclamations

- On 08/01/14, Modoc County proclaimed the existence of a local emergency due to wildland fires burning in the County; including, but not limited to the Day Fire. Board of Supervisors ratified the proclamation on 08/04/14 and the ratified proclamation is asking for CDAA. On 08/05/14 the ratified proclamation was received.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

12 miles southeast of Burney in the Hat Creek area

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0555 hours:

SRA and FRA

Fire Information

- 32,048 acres timber, 45% contained
- Threatened Structures: 50 multiple residences
- Destroyed Structures: 7 Single Residences, 2 Commercial Properties and 12 Other Minor Structures
- Also destroyed, three (3) vehicles and one (1) historic post office.
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5067-FM-CA.
- 34 OES Engines, 2 OES Watertenders and 34 Local Government Engines assigned
- Total Personnel: 1,702

Emergency Management: Evacuations/Shelters

- None

Road Closures

- None

Critical Infrastructure

- Per California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA), no PG&E assets are currently threatened.
- The Burney Water District is concerned about their water infrastructure being threatened by the fire and has requested fire protect their assets. This issue is now being handled at the local level.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County Cont. (Update)



Health/Medical

In coordination with the Shasta County Air Quality staff, which has deployed 2 state Air Resources Board (ARB) mobile E-BAM air monitors in Burney and Fall River Mills; Mayers Memorial Hospital District (MMHD) is continuing with the re-population of the Mayers Burney Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF). All but three patients have returned to the facility. Of the remaining three, two are at the Mayers Fall River SNF and one is at home. Re-population of all residents is still expected to be complete by Saturday, August 9, 2014 at 10:00 AM. No resources are requested and debrief of staff and volunteers is scheduled for Monday, August 18, 2014.

Shasta County Public Health (SCPH) has received hospital surveillance data of patients with smoke-related illness at MMHD for the last four days. SCPH is looking for a possible increase in certain respiratory and other cases that might be related to smoke and so far have not found any such potential increase.

Activations

- None

Deployments

- Four (4) Cal OES PSC Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.
- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned
- One (1) Cal OES Mechanic
- One (1) Cal OES ACS Staff

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4578**, (3) Portable E-BAM Smoke Monitors deployed on 08/04 to Lakehead, Burney, and Fall River.
- **2014-FIRE-4621**, MIGU 3 and 4; [released 2000 hours, 08/08/14](#).

Proclamations

- Shasta County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, requesting CDAA.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.



Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Bald Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta/ Lassen Counties (Update)

Near Bald Mountain, 8 miles southeast of Fall River Mills

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 0600 hours:

Unified Command FRA with SRA

Fire Information

- 39,926 acres, 95% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: None
- NORCAL Team 1 assumed command on 08/02/14 at 0600 hours
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5069-FM-CA.
- Total Personnel - 661

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- None

Road Closures

- None

Utilities

- None

Activations

- Lassen County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned. (This Chief is assigned to the Eiler Incident as well)

Proclamations:

- Lassen County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, with no requests for state assistance; the Board of Supervisors confirmed the proclamation on 08/04/14.
- Shasta County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, requesting CDAA.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.



Bald Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta/ Lassen Counties



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

Near the Community of Copco, south of the Oregon Border

Unified Command – State of Oregon and SRA

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer, and ICS-209 as of 08/08/14 at 2201 hours:

SRA

Fire Information

- 35,248 acres, 58% contained (9,464 acres in State DPA)
- Unified Command with Oregon Department of Forestry ended on 08/08/14 at 1800 hours.
- Fire was part of the Beaver Complex, east of Ashland Oregon
- Fire burned into California on 07/31/14
- Threat to 92 structures in the community of Copco
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5068-FM-CA.

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, an evacuation advisory is in effect for Oregon Gulch Road.

Road Closures:

- None

Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- Even though the fire threat has reduced, as of 08/06/14 there is still concern regarding Fall Creek which is the source of the City of Yreka's water supply. Cal Fire has this as a significant infrastructure item for their planning purposes.
- City of Yreka has a contingency plan in place. There is a generator on site, with a second one available if needed. The City can also pump from wells if necessary.
- Cal Fire has prepped the area around the water intake station to assist with defense.

Utilities

- PG&E reports no threats to their infrastructure.
- Per CAISO the grid is stable with ample surplus capacity to meet any demand.
- All communications networks, wireline and cellular are stable.



FIRE ACTIVITY



Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County Cont. (Update)

Activations

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Deployments

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Mission Tasking

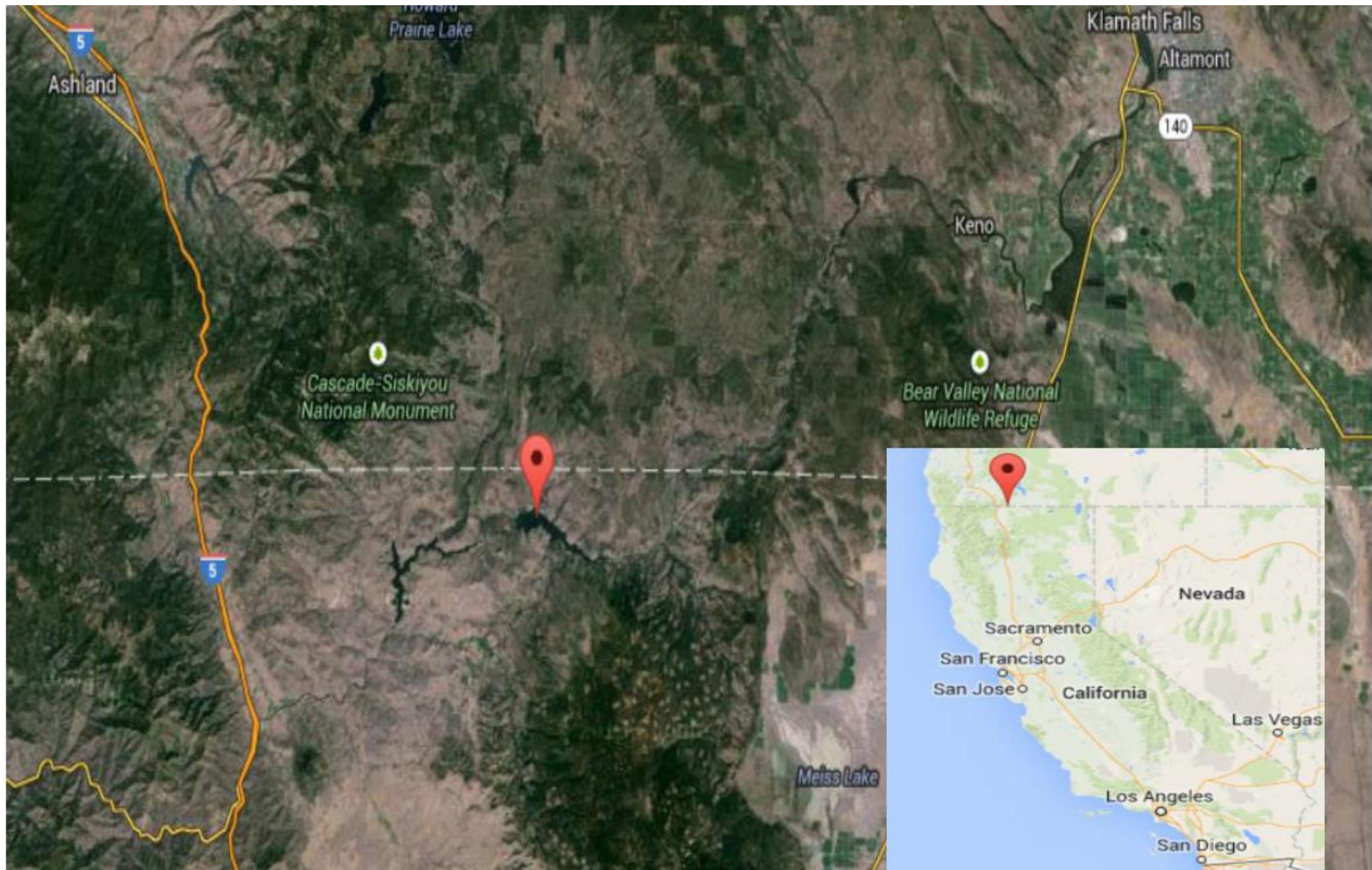
- **2014-IREOC-4568**, (4) Portable EBAM Smoke Monitors. (2) Units deployed 08/04 and (2) Units deployed 08/05.

Proclamations:

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY

San Bernardino County Flooding, San Bernardino County (Update)

- San Bernardino County Operational Area is activated at Level I Duty Officer status, as there is a possibility of rain later today, Saturday 08/09/2014, and into Sunday 08/10/2014, which could affect areas already impacted by the August Severe Weather Incident.

The San Bernardino County Fire Department continues to conduct damage assessments. Cal OES Regional Administrators, Cal OES Recovery Unit Representatives, and the OA EOC Liaison conducted site visits to validate Initial Damage Estimates (IDE's) 08/06 through 8/08. The San Bernardino County Operational Area Emergency Operations Center (EOC) remains activated at Level I in support of field operations, volunteer operations, and recovery activities for the affected areas.

Background: On August 3, 2014, the Southern Duty Officer (SDO) was notified by the California State Warning Center (CSWC) that San Bernardino County Operational Area (SBOA) emergency operations center (EOC) had activated at a Level I in support of the significant flood events for the following areas in San Bernardino County; Forest Falls, Mount Baldy, Oak Glen and Lytle Creek. Flash floods Sunday brought thick debris flows that cut off access to towns. Numerous residents in the San Bernardino Mountains were unable to get out because the roads were covered with mud, rock and debris. Per the SDO there are no unmet emergency management and access and functional needs (AFN) nor any requests for State assistance.

Damages:

- The San Bernardino County EOC has not finalized damage assessments.
- The San Bernardino Countywide Initial Damage Estimate is approaching \$11 million.
- The Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Pacific Regional office is collecting data on any damages sustained by the recent flood events throughout the state from Tribal partners. San Manuel Tribe is working on an IDE for unspecified residential and construction project damage.

Forest Falls

- The San Bernardino County EOC continues to conduct damage assessments; to date, 6 residences have been damaged in Forest Falls.

Redlands

- Westbound Redlands Boulevard is closed at California Street due to an a 10' x 10' sinkhole

Mount Baldy

- The San Bernardino County EOC continues to conduct damage assessments; to date, 19 homes have been damaged or destroyed in Mt. Baldy.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY

San Bernardino County Flooding, San Bernardino County Cont. (Update)

Activations

- San Bernardino County Operation Area EOC is activated at Level 1.
- Cal OES Southern Region is activated at level 1.

Proclamations:

- 08/04/2014 - San Bernardino County.
- 08/04/2014 - City of Barstow.
- 08/06/ 2014- City of Highland.

Per the San Bernardino County Duty Officer, there are no unmet emergency management, or access and functional needs (AFN) issues, nor any requests for State assistance.

The Cal OES Southern Region Duty Officer continues to monitor the situation and provide updates.

CAL OES ACTIVATIONS

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

Situational Summary

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

- Current Reservoir Levels continue to decline. Levels as of August 7th : Don Pedro 43%; Exchequer 19%; Folsom Lake 41%; Lake Oroville 34%; Millerton Lake 51%; New Melones 25%; Pine Flat 12%; San Luis 21%; Lake Shasta 33%; Trinity Lake 34%; Pyramid Lake 93%; and Castaic Lake 47%.

- Emergency Drinking Water Procurement and Distribution Planning Guidance (rev. May 2014)

Significant changes have occurred to the structure of California's state government organization. Rapid advances in systems, science, and technology have helped emergency managers improve coordination, forecasting, and situational awareness. Because of these changes, the *Multi-Agency Emergency Response Procedures for Potable Water Procurement & Distribution* document has been replaced by the *Emergency Drinking Water Procurement and Distribution Planning Guidance*. The intent of this guidance document is to clarify the roles and responsibilities of the stakeholders involved in locating, procuring, and delivery of emergency drinking water¹ to populations in California. Consequently creating a framework for agencies and organizations to work together to enhance preparedness.

Situational Summary

- State Board Mandatory Conservation Regulations Now in Effect: The state's first-ever emergency regulations mandating urban water conservation became effective will be in effect until April 25, 2015.
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/drought/emergency_regulations_waterconservation.shtml
- The 2014 Governor Drought Task Force continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.

August 5, 2014
 (Released Thursday August 7, 2014)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

U.S. Drought Monitor



California

Drought Condition (Percent Area):

Week	Date	Nothing	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	8/5/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	99.80	81.92	58.41
Last Week	7/29/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	81.89	58.41
3 Months Ago	5/6/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	95.93	76.68	24.77
Start of Calendar Year	12/31/2013	2.61	97.39	94.25	87.53	27.59	0.00
Start of Water Year	10/1/2013	2.63	97.37	95.95	84.12	11.36	0.00
One Year Ago	8/6/2013	0.00	100.00	98.23	93.86	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

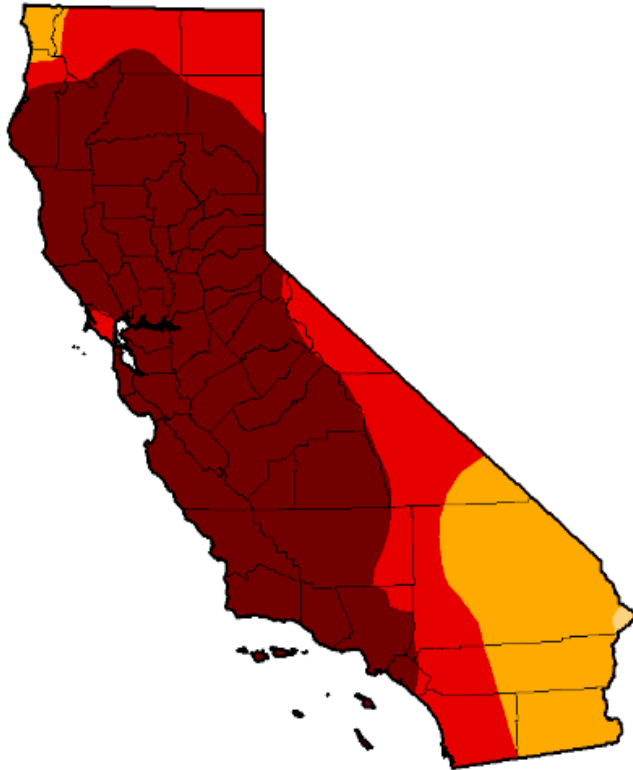
 D0 - Abnormally Dry
 D1 - Moderate Drought
 D2 - Severe Drought

 D3 - Extreme Drought
 D4 - Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying [text summary](#) for forecast statements.

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Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/27/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/31/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	8/7/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	8/6/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	8/7/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Trinity	8/5/2014	No specific request.	
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/15/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	8/6/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	8/5/2014
Coastal Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Inland Region		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Lodi City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mountain House CSD, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declaring Stage 1 Mandatory Water Conservation
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Ripon City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Mandatory Water Conservation
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Cortina Rancheria Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians, Colusa County	7/7/2014	Declared drought emergency / instituting conservation measures.



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Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Svcs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	7/29/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of Rio Dell, Humboldt	7/17/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Shortage Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Southern Region		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	5/21/2014	Declare Stage II Water Emergency



County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 8/08/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	8/4/2014	TBD
Humboldt	8/7/2014	TBD
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	7/18/2014	8/27/2014
Madera	7/29/2014	TBD
Merced	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	7/16/2014	TBD
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	8/5/2014	TBD
Sacramento	7/31/2014	TBD
San Joaquin	7/16/2014	8/13/2014
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	8/7/2014	TBD
Sutter	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	7/14/2014	8/21/2014
Tuolumne	7/17/2014	8/21/2014
Yolo	8/7/2014	TBD
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	TBD
Lake	8/7/2014	TBD
Mendocino	7/31/2014	8/16/2014
Monterey	7/30/2014	TBD
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Francisco		8/11/2014
San Mateo	7/29/2014	TBD
Southern Region		
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	7/24/2014	8/20/2014
Santa Barbara	7/23/2014	8/20/2014



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CAL OES MISSIONS

New Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4759, 8/9/2014, 0015 hours**, Alpine County Sheriff's Department (ACSD) requesting resources to locate a missing 58 year old male hiker. ACSD is requesting 40 ground searchers, 3 search dog teams (2 area dogs, 1 water dog) and 1 dive team. M/P was last heard of in the Sunset Lake area. ACSD advised that they located M/P's backpack and camping gear. El Dorado and Amador County Sheriff's Department is responding with ground searchers. El Dorado County Sheriff's Department is responding with their dive team also. California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the search dog response.
Mission On-going

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-3978**, On 08/05/2014 at 1519 hours, this law mission was continued at the request of San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD). SBSD is requesting Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) Mine Team to assist in a continuing search for human remains related to an active, ongoing homicide investigation in the Twenty Nine Palms area. The continued search was scheduled for this weekend, 8/09-8/10; however, has been postponed to the following weekend, 08/16-17/2014. LASD's Mine Team has accepted the mission and will respond. **Mission On-Going**

CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4711, 8/8/2014, 0028 hours**, Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) advised of a Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) sounding at GPS coordinates 36 34.27N 118 15.73W (D*M.M'), which plotted near Mirror Lake in Inyo County. AFRCC advised the device was not registered and there was no other information concerning the owner of the device. At 0047 hours, LDO notified Inyo County Sheriff SAR Coordinator of the PLB activation and its coordinates. Inyo County Sheriff's Department advised they would mobilize a SAR Hasty Team out of Lone Pine. Update: At 0359 hours, AFRCC confirmed three passes with the PLB device continuing to transmit and that its position had not moved from the original activation. LDO updated Inyo County Sheriff. Update: 8/8/2014, 0902 hours, AFRCC advised they have had two missed satellite passes at 0631 and 0758 hours where the device was no longer sounding. AFRCC said ETA for third pass is 0946 hours. LDO contacted Inyo County Sheriff SAR Coordinator and relayed the information. Inyo County Sheriff advised their SAR Hasty team is on scene and interviewing hikers. They have not located anyone in distress but are continuing to canvass the area. *Update: 8/8/2014, 1008 hours, AFRCC advised they had the third missed satellite pass at 1003 hours where the device was not sounding and are closing out their mission. LDO contacted Inyo County Sheriff SAR Coordinator and updated him with the information. Inyo County Sheriff advising their SAR Hasty team has canvassed the area and not located anyone in distress. Their SAR Hasty team will stay in the area but request we close out the mission. Mission Closed.*
- **2014-LAW-4749, 8/8/2014, 1932 hours**, International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) is reporting a SPOT device that is sounding in San Bernardino County. The coordinates is at 34.21215N and -117.15778W. San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department advised and is responding. *Update: 08/09/14, 0030 hrs., R/O of device was located and transported to SBSB sub station and reunited with family. Mission Closed*
- **2014-LAW-4743, 8/8/2014, 1640 hours**, Colusa County Sheriff's Department requesting resources to render safe military type explosive device found in the City of Colusa. Shasta County Sheriff's Department notified as the Region Mutual Aid Coordinator (RMAC). Butte County Sheriff's Department (BCSD) is responding with their Bomb Squad. *Update: 08/08/14, 1750 hrs., BCSD rendered the device safe and disposed of the device. Mission Closed*
- **2014-LAW-4736, 8/8/2014, 1235 hours**, International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) is reporting a SPOT device that is sounding in Sierra County. The coordinates is at 39.52979N and -120.57327W. Sierra County Sheriff's Department advised and is responding. *Update: 08/08/14, 2030 hrs., R/O of device was located and transported to a local medical facility. Mission Closed*





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